

IN THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims replaces all prior listings:

1. (Currently Amended) A method of manufacturing an organic electroluminescence device comprising the steps of [[,]]:

providing at least one organic layer between a first electrode and a second electrode~~[[,]]~~;
~~layers having light emission regions patterned on a pixel basis, wherein at least~~

forming at least one of said organic layers having said light emission regions is formed by forming by supplying a coating liquid onto a silicone blanket from the bottom side thereof via a gravure roll whose edges are tapered in the axial direction at both ends such that a coating film comprised of a the coating liquid containing a constituent material of said layer is provided on a surface of a the silicone blanket with substantially the same thickness throughout a pixel-forming-area~~[[,]]~~; ~~then~~

pressing a relief printing plate against said coating film~~[[,]]~~;

transferring and removing said coating film at the pressed areas from said silicon blanket onto said a relief printing plate~~[[,]]~~; and

transferring a pattern composed of said coating film left remaining on said surface of said silicone blanket onto a surface to be provided thereon with said layer,~~and~~

~~said coating liquid is supplied and applied to said surface of said silicone blanket from the lower side thereof via a gravure roll provided with a gravure pattern.~~

2. (Cancelled)

3. (Currently Amended) A method of manufacturing an organic electroluminescence device comprising the steps of [[,]]:

providing at least one organic layer between a first electrode and a second electrode; ;
~~layers having light emission regions patterned on a pixel basis, wherein~~

forming at least one of said organic layers having said light emission regions is formed
by forming by supplying a coating liquid onto a silicone blanket from the bottom side thereof
via a slit provided in parallel to the rotational axis of said silicone blanket a coating film
~~comprised of a coating liquid containing a constituent material of said layer on a surface of a~~
~~silicone blanket[[,]]; then~~

~~pressing a relief printing plate against said coating film[[,]]; and~~

~~transferring and removing said coating film at the pressed portions from said silicone~~
~~blanket onto said a relief printing plate[[,]]; and~~

~~transferring a pattern composed of said coating film left remaining on said surface of said~~
~~silicone blanket onto a surface to be provided thereon with said layer, and~~

wherein,

said slit is formed by opposing two flat plates against each other with a spacing
therebetween, and

said top faces of said two flat plates are slant surfaces with a downward gradient
from the central portion side toward the end portion sides of the rotational axis of said
silicone blanket

~~said coating liquid is supplied and applied to said surface of said silicone blanket~~
~~from the lower side thereof via a slit provided in parallel to the rotational axis of said~~
~~silicone blanket.~~

4. (Currently Amended) The method of manufacturing an organic electroluminescence
device as set forth in claim 3, wherein;

~~said slit is formed by opposing two flat plates to each other with a spacing therebetween, and~~

~~totally closing the gaps between the left and right end portions of said flat plates are closed, and~~

the spacing between said surface of said silicone blanket and the top faces of said two flat plates is uniform at a slit portion corresponding to an effective pixel forming area of said silicone blanket[[,]]

~~whereas said top faces of said two flat plates are slant surfaces with a downward gradient from the central portion side toward end portion sides of the rotational axis of said silicone blanket at slit portions corresponding to non-pixel forming areas present on both sides of said effective pixel forming area of said silicone blanket, and~~

~~said coating liquid is supplied and applied to said surface of said silicone blanket from the lower side thereof via said slit.~~

5. (Currently Amended) The method of manufacturing an organic electroluminescence device as set forth in claim 3, wherein:

~~said slit is formed by opposing two flat plates to each other with a spacing therebetween,~~

~~opening the upper half portions of gaps between the left and right end portions of said flat plates are open, and~~

~~closing the lower half portions of said gaps[[,]] are closed and~~

~~said coating liquid is supplied and applied to said surface of said silicone blanket from the lower side thereof via said slit.~~